



Gagetown School PARENT PAGE

"Soar with the Eagles"

April 2, 2012

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Field Trip to Aquatic Center

The field trip to the Aquatic Center was a great success. Everyone who went had a wonderful time. Thanks goes to Legion Branch 69 in Saint John for letting us use the building to have our lunch.



Netbooks

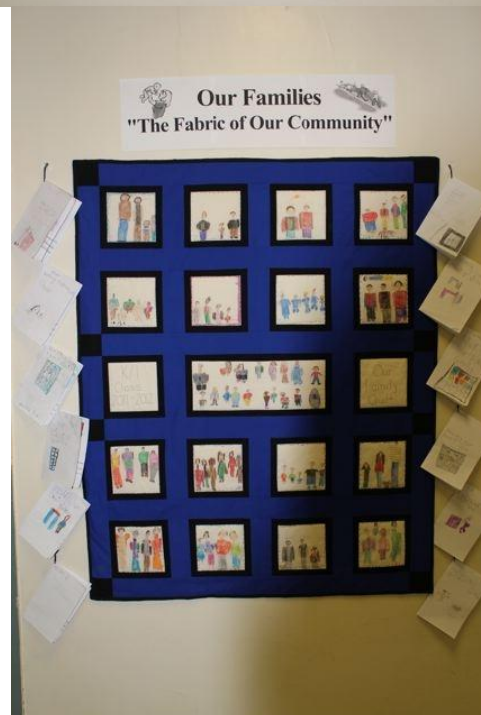
Middle level students will have the option of leaving their netbooks at the school to charge overnight, starting Monday, April 2nd.

Basketball

Reminder to basketball players to please, return your uniforms to Ms. Fitz. The Basketball team and Mrs. Meek would like to send out a big thank you to Jayde McConchie for helping out during the Basketball season. Without Jayde we would not have finished off the season since Mrs. Meek went out on maternity leave and Mike Reist was unavailable. Thank you very much Jayde for everything you do to help out the school.

ArtsSmart

We have received high praise from a number of visitors for the projects completed by our K-3 students. The teachers have assembled a beautiful scrapbook of the project from start to finish. Feel free to drop in and check out the work currently hanging on display in the K-3 wing.



Hat Day

We will be having a hat day on Thursday, April 5th. To participate in hat day the students are asked to pay \$1.00. Money raised will go towards Middle Level end of year activities.

Upcoming Dates - Mark Your Calendars

April 2 nd	Plasticine Club - Elementary
April 2 nd	Drama Club
April 2 nd	Cooking Club
April 2 nd	Art Club - Middle Level
April 2 nd	Pizza Day
April 3 rd	Tie Dye
April 3 rd	Lego Club
April 4 th	Tie Dye Club
April 5 th	Hat Day
April 5 th	Drama Club
April 5 th	Chicken Wrap Day Hot Lunch Orders due for next week
April 5 th	Grade 7 Girls Vaccinations
April 6 th	No classes - Good Friday
April 9 th	No classes - Easter Monday
April 10 th	Tie Dye
April 10 th	Lego Club
April 11 th	Tie Dye Club
April 12 th	Drama Club
April 12 th	Chicken Wrap Day Hot Lunch Orders due for next week
April 16 th	Plasticine Club - Elementary
April 16 th	Drama Club
April 16 th	Cooking Club
April 16 th	Art Club - Middle Level
April 16 th	Pizza Day
April 17 th	Tie Dye
April 17 th	Lego Club
April 18 th	Tie Dye Club
April 18 th	Heritage Fair
April 19 th	Drama Club
April 19 th	Chicken Wrap Day Hot Lunch Orders due for next week
April 20 th	No classes - PD Day
May 3 rd	No classes - PD day
May 4 th	No classes - Provincial Council Day
May 21 st	No classes - Victoria Day
May 25 th	Kindergarten Orientation
June 22 nd	Last Day of School

From Arlene Johnson the Community School Liaison

It's now April and the Heritage Fair preparations are underway. We have 17 individual projects and 7 group projects that demonstrate our students' work. Grades K-8 are presenting topics from Racing on the Gagetown Creek, military efforts, people of interest, to cooking, dyeing fabrics, and tasty treats from heritage kitchens. Don't miss the Highland dancers and the drama scenes depicting days gone by plus much more.

On April 18th judges will select the top projects and awards in the morning, then the doors will open from 12:15-2:15, for friends, family, students and invited guests. It's bound to be a lively and interesting afternoon for visitors of all ages. This is the first heritage fair at Gagetown School. Come support the research, craft skills, written projects, models and displays the children have worked through. Many family members have helped with the projects and assisted the growing skills of their children. Their combined efforts are to be applauded! Come along and join a celebration of our heritage.

An interesting fact: the Provincial Heritage Fair will be hosted in Gagetown in June at the Courthouse. Perhaps some of our students projects will achieve the merit to present their projects at this level also!

Wonder Thoughts

The k-5 students are keeping Wonder Journals to collect things they wonder about and may wish to investigate further. Every 2 weeks the teachers will select 4 interesting wonder thoughts to display on our "I Wonder..." bulletin board. Each child has had their picture taken in his/her "wonder pose" and these are also displayed on the board.

Our thought for this week:

Patrick - grade 1 - "I wonder how volcanoes shoot lava?"

Sage - grade 1 - "I wonder how chocolate bars are made?"

Anthony - grade 3 - "I wonder what the hottest day on Earth was?"

Carl - grade 5 - "I wonder how many words a person will write in their lifetime?"

What great thoughts from our elementary students! Please check out our Wonder bulletin board when you are in the school.

